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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Application No. 09/425,436 )  
Filed: October 22, 1999 )  
Applicants: Richard Robert CAPPADONA )  
et al. )  
Title: LID FOR COOKING PAN )  
Art Unit: 1761 )  
Examiner: Drew E. BECKER )  
Attorney Docket: 7015/66635 )  
Customer No.: 22242 )

**Confirmation No. 9564**

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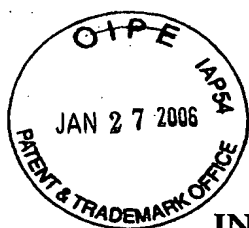
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated October 25, 2005 rejecting claims 20-23.

- ☒ The fee for filing this Notice of Appeal is \$ 170.00 (37 CFR § 41.20(b)(1)), which is the difference between the fee of \$330.00 paid for the Notice of Appeal filed June 9, 2004 and the current fee of \$500.00.
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status (37 CFR § 1.27), reducing the Appeal Fee by half to \$\_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Charge \$ 170.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.



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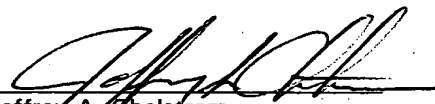
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Sir:

Applicants hereby submit to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the following:

- ☒ An Appeal Brief (in triplicate) is enclosed.
- ☐ Also enclosed:
- ☒ The fee for filing this Appeal Brief is \$ 160.00 (37 CFR § 41.20(b)(2)), which is the difference between the fee of \$340.00 paid for Appellants' Brief on Appeal filed November 9, 2004 and the current fee of \$500.00.
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status (37 CFR § 1.27), reducing the Appeal Fee by half to \$\_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Charge \$ 160.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.

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APPEAL BRIEF TRANSMITTAL dated January 25, 2006

Reply to Office Action/Decision of Primary Examiner of October 25, 2005

- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).
- ☐ A petition for extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this appeal (specifically including the fee for filing a brief in support of this appeal if such brief is filed unaccompanied by full payment therefor, and the fee for filing a request for an oral hearing if such request is made unaccompanied by full payment therefor), or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This Notice is filed in duplicate.

January 25, 2006

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